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To: Torres, Francine

Subject: NOSB recommendations

I would like to express my strong support for the recommendations from the National Organic Standard

I firmly believe requiring pasture for ruminants ensures an organic production system which provides liv

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Barbara Frost

s Board Livestock Committee from February 1, 2005 regarding pasture requirements for the National Or
ving conditions that allow animals to satisfy their natural behavior patterns, provides preventative health (

rganic Program. As a consumer, I need to know that the USDA organic seal represents the true meaning
care benefits and answers my expectation of humane animal care and ideal welfare

g of "organic" which includes pasturing of animals as outlined in the new recommendation.